

New Record of *Donacia javana* (Coleoptera, Chrysomelidae) from Sarawak and Sabah, East Malaysia

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Donacia javana WIEDEMANN, 1821 is widely distributed in southeast Asia: India, Myanmar, Thailand, Laos, Vietnam, Cambodia, Peninsular Malaysia, Singapore, Philippines, Borneo, Sumatra, Java and Sulawesi (KIMOTO & GRESSITT, 1979; LAYS, 2000). However, the record from Borneo is probably based on those of GOECKE (1934, 1936), who plotted the recorded points of this species on his distribution map (p. 216 in 1934, and p. 288 in 1936). According to the map, the point from Borneo is situated on the Indonesian portion, so-called Kalimantan, though he did not mention the exact locality in that region. Probably therefore MOHAMEDSAID (2004) did not record this species from Borneo in his catalogue of the Malaysian Chrysomelidae.

In this short paper, we confirmed the occurrence of this species in the Malaysian part of Borneo as follows:

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Specimens examined. 1 ex., Lambir Hills National Park, Miri, Sarawak, Malaysia, 15–III–2008, H. KOJIMA leg. (deposited at Forest Research Centre, Kuching, Sarawak). 2 exs., Kg. Kibabaig, Penampang, Sabah, Malaysia, 20–III–2010, H. TAKIZAWA leg.; 1 ex., 3–IV–2010, H. TAKIZAWA leg. (deposited at Institute of Tropical Biology & Conservation, Univ. Malaysia Sabah).

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